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Title: ADIPOSE-DERIVED STEM CELLS AND LATTICES

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December 30, 2002

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE
TO JULY 30, 2002 OFFICE ACTION AND
PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is being submitted in response to the July 30, 2002 Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office issued in connection with the above-identified application. A response was due October 30, 2002. Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time. The fee as prescribed by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2) to cover this extension is \$200.00 and a check for the amount of \$200.00 is enclosed. A response with a request for a two-month extension of time is now due December 30, 2002. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

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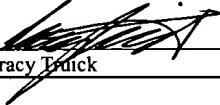
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